

**RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)**  
**INVENTORS DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

10/536797

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**METHOD FOR INHIBITING CELL DEATH, CELL DEATH INHIBITOR, THERAPEUTIC DRUG CONTAINING SAME FOR TREATING DISEASE  
 DUE TO CELL DEATH**

the specification of which (check applicable box(s)):

☐ is attached hereto  
☒ was filed on May 27, 2005 as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/536,797 (Atty. Dkt. No. - )  
☒ was filed as PCT International application No. PCT/JP03/15201 on November 27, 2003  
 and (if applicable to U.S. or PCT application) was amended on September 13, 2004

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed or, if no priority is claimed, before the filing date of this application:

Priority Foreign Application(s):

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
2002-346325	Japan	28/Nov/2002
2003-391243	Japan	20/Nov/2003

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number	Date/Month/Year Filed
--------------------	-----------------------

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120/365 of all prior United States and PCT international applications listed above or below:

Prior U.S./PCT Application(s):

Application Serial No.

Day/Month/Year Filed

Status: patented  
 pending, abandoned

PCT/JP03/15201

November 27, 2003

pending

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon. And on behalf of the owner(s) hereof, I hereby appoint Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., telephone number

703-816-4000 (to whom all communications are to be directed) and the attorneys of: **Customer Number 23117** individually and collectively owner's/owners' attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent. I also authorize Nixon & Vanderhye to add or delete attorneys from that Customer Number, and to act and rely solely on instructions directly communicated from the person, assignee, attorney, firm, or other organization sending instructions to Nixon & Vanderhye on behalf of the owner(s).

1-00 Inventor's Signature: Yasunobu OKADA Date: September 13, 2005

Inventor: Yasunobu OKADA Japanese  
 (first) (last) (citizenship)

Residence: (city) Okazaki-shi MI (state/country) Aichi Japan

Mailing Address: 12-13, Tatsumiasahi-machi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan

(Zip Code) 444-0877

2. Inventor's Signature:

Inventor: Shigeru MORISHIMA Japanese  
 (first) (last) (citizenship)

Residence: (city) Sakai-gun MI (state/country) Fukui Japan

Mailing Address: 2-100-C-3-101, Shinnaruka Maruoka-cho Sakai-gun Fukui Japan

(Zip Code) 910-0337

**[X] See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!!**

**RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)**  
**INVENTORS DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**METHOD FOR INHIBITING CELL DEATH, CELL DEATH INHIBITOR, THERAPEUTIC DRUG CONTAINING SAME FOR TREATING DISEASE DUE TO CELL DEATH**

the specification of which (check applicable box(s)):

☐ is attached hereto  
☒ was filed on May 27, 2005 as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/536,797 (Atty. Dkt. No. - )  
☒ was filed as PCT International application No. PCT/JP03/15201 on November 27, 2003  
 and (if applicable to U.S. or PCT application) was amended on September 13, 2004

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed or, if no priority is claimed, before the filing date of this application:

Priority Foreign Application(s):

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
2002-346325	Japan	28/Nov/2002
2003-391243	Japan	20/Nov/2003

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number	Date/Month/Year Filed

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120/365 of all prior United States and PCT international applications listed above or below:

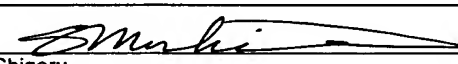
Prior U.S./PCT Application(s):

Application Serial No.	Day/Month/Year Filed	Status: patented pending, abandoned
PCT/JP03/15201	November 27, 2003	pending

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon. And on behalf of the owner(s) hereof, I hereby appoint Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., telephone number

703-816-4000 (to whom all communications are to be directed) and the attorneys of: **Customer Number 23117**, individually and collectively owner's/owners' attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent. I also authorize Nixon & Vanderhye to add or delete attorneys from that Customer Number, and to act and rely solely on instructions directly communicated from the person, assignee, attorney, firm, or other organization sending instructions to Nixon & Vanderhye on behalf of the owner(s).

1. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Inventor: Yasunobu OKADA Japanese (citizenship)  
 (first) MI (last)  
 Residence: (city) Okazaki-shi (state/country) Aichi Japan  
 Mailing Address: 12-13, Tatsumiasahi-machi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan  
 (Zip Code) 444-0877

2. <sup>2-00</sup> Inventor's Signature:  Date: Oct 14, 2005  
 Inventor: Shigeru MORISHIMA Japanese (citizenship)  
 (first) MI (last)  
 Residence: (city) Sakai-gun (state/country) Fukui Japan  
 Mailing Address: 2-100-C-3-101, Shinnaruka Maruoka-cho Sakai-gun Fukui Japan  
 (Zip Code) 910-0337

**[X] See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!!**

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

3.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	Takashi (first) MI (state/country) NABEKURA (last) Miyakonojo-shi 19-28-D-205, Kubobaru-cho Miyakonojo-shi Miyazaki Japan 885-0086	Date: _____ Japanese (citizenship)
4.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	Kenichi (first) MI (state/country) MANABE (last) Okazaki-shi 2-8-36-1-A, Tatsumihigashi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan 444-0878	Date: September 13, 2005 Japanese (citizenship)
5.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	Shin-ichiro (first) MI (state/country) MORI (last) Okazaki-shi 6-403, Aza-Mishimashita Kugosaki-cho Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan 444-0851	Date: September 13, 2005 Japanese (citizenship)
6.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
7.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
8.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
9.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
10.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
11.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)
12.	Inventor's Signature: _____ Inventor: _____ Residence: (city) _____ Mailing Address: _____ (Zip Code) _____	_____ (first) MI (state/country) _____ (last) _____ (citizenship)	Date: _____ _____ (citizenship)

FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box [ ] and attach sheet with same information and signature and date for each.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

702519

3.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	Takashi (first)	MI	NABEKURA (last)	Date: _____	Japanese (citizenship)
	Residence: (city)	Miyakonojo-shi	(state/country)	Miyazaki Japan		
	Mailing Address:	19-28-D-205, Kubobaru-cho Miyakonojo-shi Miyazaki Japan				
	(Zip Code)	885-0086				
4.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	Ken-ichi (first)	MI	MANABE (last)	Date: _____	Japanese (citizenship)
	Residence: (city)	Okazaki-shi	(state/country)	Aichi Japan		
	Mailing Address:	2-8-36-1-A, Tatsumihigashi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan				
	(Zip Code)	444-0878				
5.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	Shin-ichiro (first)	MI	MORI (last)	Date: _____	Japanese (citizenship)
	Residence: (city)	Okazaki-shi	(state/country)	Aichi Japan		
	Mailing Address:	6-403, Aza-Mishimashita Kugosaki-cho Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan				
	(Zip Code)	444-0851				
6.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
7.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
8.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
9.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
10.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
11.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					
12.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	(first)	MI	(last)	Date: _____	(citizenship)
	Residence: (city)		(state/country)			
	Mailing Address:					
	(Zip Code)					

FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box ☐ and attach sheet with same information and signature and date for each.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

**RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)**  
**INVENTORS DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

10/536797

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**METHOD FOR INHIBITING CELL DEATH, CELL DEATH INHIBITOR, THERAPEUTIC DRUG CONTAINING SAME FOR TREATING DISEASE DUE TO CELL DEATH**

the specification of which (check applicable box(s)):

☐ is attached hereto  
☒ was filed on May 27, 2005 as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/536,797 (Atty. Dkt. No. - )  
☒ was filed as PCT International application No. PCT/JP03/15201 on November 27, 2003  
 and (if applicable to U.S. or PCT application) was amended on September 13, 2004

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed or, if no priority is claimed, before the filing date of this application:

Priority Foreign Application(s):

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
2002-346325	Japan	28/Nov/2002
2003-391243	Japan	20/Nov/2003

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number	Date/Month/Year Filed
--------------------	-----------------------

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120/365 of all prior United States and PCT international applications listed above or below:

Prior U.S./PCT Application(s):

Application Serial No.	Day/Month/Year Filed	Status: patented pending, abandoned
PCT/JP03/15201	November 27, 2003	pending

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon. And on behalf of the owner(s) hereof, I hereby appoint Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., telephone number 703-816-4000 (to whom all communications are to be directed) and the attorneys of: **Customer Number 23117**, individually and collectively owner's/owners' attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent. I also authorize Nixon & Vanderhye to add or delete attorneys from that Customer Number, and to act and rely solely on instructions directly communicated from the person, assignee, attorney, firm, or other organization sending instructions to Nixon & Vanderhye on behalf of the owner(s).

1.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	Yasunobu (first)	MI	OKADA (last)	Japanese (citizenship)	Date:
	Residence: (city)	Okazaki-shi		(state/country)	Aichi Japan	
	Mailing Address: (Zip Code)	12-13, Tatsumiasahi-machi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan 444-0877				
2.	Inventor's Signature: Inventor:	Shigeru (first)	MI	MORISHIMA (last)	Japanese (citizenship)	Date:
	Residence: (city)	Sakai-gun		(state/country)	Fukui Japan	
	Mailing Address: (Zip Code)	2-100-C-3-101, Shinnaruka Maruoka-cho Sakai-gun Fukui Japan 910-0337				

**[X] See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!!**

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

3. Inventor's Signature: Takashi NABEKURA Date: September 16, 2005  
Inventor: Takashi NABEKURA Japanese  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) Miyakonojo-shi MI (state/country) Miyazaki Japan  
Mailing Address: 19-28-D-205, Kubobaru-cho Miyakonojo-shi Miyazaki Japan  
(Zip Code) 885-0086
4. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: Ken-ichi MANABE Japanese  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) Okazaki-shi MI (state/country) Aichi Japan  
Mailing Address: 2-8-36-1-A, Tatsumihigashi Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan  
(Zip Code) 444-0878
5. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: Shin-ichiro MORI Japanese  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) Okazaki-shi MI (state/country) Aichi Japan  
Mailing Address: 6-403, Aza-Mishimashita Kugosaki-cho Okazaki-shi Aichi Japan  
(Zip Code) 444-0851
6. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
7. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
8. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
9. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
10. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
11. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_
12. Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last) (citizenship)  
Residence: (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (state/country) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code) \_\_\_\_\_

FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box ☐ and attach sheet with same information and signature and date for each.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY